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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : SCHAEFER, SUZANNE E., et al. Confirmation No.: 4842

Appl. No. : 10/664491

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Title : MULTILAYER HEAT
SEALANT STRUCTURES,
PACKAGES AND METHODS
OF MAKING THE SAME

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RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed November 14, 2005, it is respectfully requested that the following amendments be entered and the following remarks considered. Applicants' petition is enclosed herewith for a three-month extension of time to and including May 15, 2006, to file this response to the final Office Action of November 14, 2005, which carried an original response date of February 14, 2006.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this document.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this document.